

# **BEARFACTS 1989 – 1999 Powell , Kentucky [21197]**

Powell is one of 120 counties in Kentucky. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 1999 population of 13,075 ranked 85th in the state.

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 1999 Powell had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$15,814. This PCPI ranked 91st in the state and was 69 percent of the state average, \$22,763, and 57 percent of the national average, \$27,939. The 1999 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.4 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 state change was 3.3 percent and the national change was 3.9 percent. In 1989 the PCPI of Powell was \$9,492 and ranked 100th in the state. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 1999 Powell had a total personal income (TPI) of \$206,773\*. This TPI ranked 86th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1989 the TPI of Powell was \$110,538\* and ranked 96th in the state. The 1999 TPI reflected an increase of 6.1 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 state change was 4.1 percent and the national change was 5.1 percent. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of TPI was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.5 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Powell. In 1999 net earnings accounted for 66.3 percent of TPI (compared with 66.3 in 1989); dividends, interest, and rent were 9.5 percent (compared with 10.9 in 1989); and personal current transfer receipts were 24.2 percent (compared with 22.8 in 1989). From 1998 to 1999 net earnings increased 6.8 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 5.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.7 percent. From 1989 to 1999 net earnings increased on average 6.5 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 5.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 7.1 percent.

## EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Powell increased from \$90,114\* in 1998 to \$93,028\* in 1999, an increase of 3.2 percent. The 1998-1999 state change was 6.1 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1989 estimate of \$48,444\* to the 1999 estimate was 6.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.5 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

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<sup>\*</sup>Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.